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Forest Officials See Fire Danger Greater This Year

Small Loss Reported From Few Fires Here Last Year

Compilation of the annual fire report shows 100 statistical fires occurred on the Tahoe National Forest during 1953. Of this total 20 were in the Truckee District.

General causes for Truckee district fires are as follows:

Lightning, 7.
Man-caused, 13.

Further breakdown of the man-caused fires by specific cause show:

Careless smokers, 6.
Abandoned campfires, 3.
Miscellaneous, 3.
Debris burning, 1.

All fires combined burned only three and a half acres, the largest being the one north of Donner Lake which burned two acres.

The 1953 record, both as to number of fires and acreage burned is considerably below the 5-year average of 32 fires per year. Much credit is due local residents and cooperators for their assistance and response during periods of emergency, forest service officials said. This cooperation, they added, both voluntary and requested, contributed much to the low burned acreage figure.

Lack of early winter snowpack indicates a probable quick spring runoff. This lack of moisture increases drying conditions over a larger area and results in an earlier fire season.

Although annual precipitation is close to normal, the above conditions tend to increase the summer fire danger, and present forecasts indicate a worse fire hazard than that experienced the past two years.

F. B. MacKEEVER DIES DURING BAY VISIT

Friends of Filbert Brook MacKeever were shocked to learn of his death which occurred at San Francisco yesterday, apparently as a result of a heart attack while he was visiting there.

The deceased was a native of Truckee and with Mrs. MacKeever returned last year to Tahoe City after living in Sacramento and San Francisco. Masonic rites will be held in the bay city.

MacKeever's mother, Mrs. H. L. Youman was staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Imon Mitchell at Tahoe when she learned of her son's death. Besides his mother and wife, Anna, he is survived by a brother, Arthur of Roseville. The family of the deceased are given the sympathy of their many friends throughout this area.

LIONS CLUB WILL HEAR STUDENTS

The Truckee Lions Club will hear the high school student speakers in their annual contest sponsored by the club at a meeting at Donner Lake Lodge March 10.

Charles Heller presided at the meeting last night when Orval Vaughan, supervisor at the quarantine station here was heard in an interesting talk and showed films describing the devastation results of the invasion of the Oriental fruit fly in other nations. Earl Stice was program chairman.

RANGER SPEAKS AT LOCAL CLUB MEET

Darrell Knoefler, chief ranger at the Donner Memorial State Park presented an interesting program to the local Rotarians Monday.

He told the group about the park service building a horse trail with camp sites the full length of the state. He also stated that there is another trail planned along the old Emigrant Trail over Donner Summit. In addition to his talk, the speaker showed colored movies of the state parks of California.

John Richards presided and the program chairman was Johnny Ciardella. Next Monday the Truckee club will meet with the Brockway club in a joint meeting at Brockway.

Lee Rich Writes Best Safety Essay at School

Lee Rich of the Tahoe Truckee High School was awarded first place for writing an essay on traffic safety, the contest sponsored by the Wyethia Club. Barney Gilmore was second place winner and Karen Decker was judged third in the contest. Judges were Martin Sturcke, Orval Vaughan and Mrs. Jack Dunn.

Son Is Born

Mr .and Mrs. Robert Simpson of Truckee are parents of a baby boy born at 6:33 P. M., March 3 at the Tahoe Forest Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds, 10 ounces at birth. Dr. George Hahn was the attending physician.

School Carnival Will Be Attraction at Gym Tomorrow Evening

The annual high school carnival will be held in the gym tomorrow evening, March 5th, at 7 P.M.

The carnival is the only big student body event of the year and the money derived from the affair goes into the student body general fund to help defray the expenses of the year's athletic expenditures, student awards, national assemblies and other expenses where the student body treasury is involved.

Admission price for the carnival will be 25 cents for adults and 10 cents for children.

The various classes will have booths which will include a ski ball contest, a putting contest, a teacher tub, cave of terror, splatter platter, can race, ring toss and a number of others. The school band will provide music and specialty acts for the enjoyment of all.

The students extend an invitation to the entire community to join them in making the affair a real successful event.

DONNER PARK TO BE IMPROVED BY STATE BUDGET

An allocation of $118,000 for the development of Emerald Bay State Park on Lake Tahoe is one of the highlights of the proposed 1954-55 capital outlay budget for the division of beaches and parks.

Roads, parking facilities, house trailers, comfort stations, water supply and checking station are among the items listed in the budget.

The budget also includes the following items for improvement of theDonner Memorial State Park near Truckee: Combination building, $10,000; comfort station, $7,000; 50 camp units, $15,000; roads and parking, $9,000; water supply, $10,000.

Vicki Firpo Honored At Birthday Dinner

Vicki, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nace Firpo was the incentive for a family dinner party on her 9th birthdate on February 26th.

The center of attraction at dessert time was the attractively decorated pink and blue cake and the table favors and appointments were also in the pastel shades.

The honoree opened a number of lovely gifts and cards at the special event.

LOCAL COURT LEADS IN FINE COLLECTION

Over one-half of the revenue turned into the office of County Treausurer and Tax Collector Elma Hecker by the three judicial districts of Nevada County for fees and fines came from the Truckee Judicial Court of Judge Fosten W. Wilson during the month of February.

Of the total of $4120 turned in for the month, Judge Wilson accounted for$2601.25. Of this sum, collections under the new code which provides fining $1 for every $10 prescribed by the judges to be used for driver training classes totaled $52.

Mrs. Ralph Garcia Is Feted At Shower Here

Mrs. Ralph Garcia was complimented at a stork shower given Saturday evening by Mrs. Wilber Glenn and Mrs. Joseph Straub.

The guest of honor opened her many attractive gifts before refreshments were served. Pastel tints were chosen for the party appointments. Other guests who shared the pleasant evening were Mesdames William Campbell, Robert Rose, Herbert Copeland, Roy Donaghey, Walley Watkins, Glenn Miller ,George Payne, Max Goicoa, Frank Franceschini, I. Ramerez, Dotson Lowe and Misses Hope Garcia and Elinor Domingues.

BREAKS LEG

Lily Cushing of Squaw Valley, 10 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Cushing, is among the large number of patients treated at the Tahoe Forest Hospital for injuries during the past week. The girl has a spiral break in one leg and Dr. George Hahn says she will be in the hospital for some time.

New Bakery Will Be Opened Here Later This Month

San Rafael Couple Here To Open Bake Shop March 27

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stewart and daughters, Judy and Janice, have arrived from San Rafael and are preparing to open a complete and modern bakery in the Smith building on the main street.

The Stewarts recently sold their San Rafael bakery and some of the equipment from there, supplemented by a number of new baking conveniences is being installed in the local plant.

Steward said this week that if the schedule works out as planned, the local bakery, a very welcome addition to the community's business center, will have its official opening on Saturday, March 27th.

Before going to San Rafael, the couple operated bakeries at both Garberville and Fortuna and he has had many years of experience in the business.

More and complete details on the new bakery will be announced next week when opening plans are more definite.

HIGH SCHOOL ENDS FOOTBALL SKED IN FALLON VICTORY

The Tahoe-Truckee High School basketball squad ended their first season in the Western Nevada Conference by falling before the Fallon basketball team on the home court Tuesday evening by a score of 65 to 30.

The Wolverines played the best game of the year and set up a strong defense. At the end of the first half, the Wolverines were leading the Greenwave by a score of 17 to 16. The second half found the Fallon team doing everything right and they went out in front to win.

Jack VanHooser, Jerry Quam and Clyde Mandeville tied for the high scoring honors for Truckee with six points each.

In preliminary game prior to the varsity contest, the Junior Varsity team played the Eighth Grade in a game which turned out to be a real thriller. The Eighth Grade, coached by Con Briner gave the JV a real battle. The final score was 41 to 30 in favor of the JV.

High point man for the Juniors was Stan Rasmussen with 10 points and Kenny Vaughan was high for the Eight Graders with 13 points.

Those playing for the Junior Varsity were Doug Wilson, Wes Hall, Stan Rasmussen, Fred Wofford, Ken Lavery, Bob Trask, Mike Soltau, Jim Allen, Erwin Single and Jim Vahey.

On the Eighth Grade squad were Kenny Osburn, Kit Schull, Richard Griffith, Ray Roberts, Kenny Vaughan, Jim Harris, Floyd Cooper, Gene Germain, Richard Brown, Dean Holbrook and Russell Porter.

These games ended the official basketball season.

STATE TAX MAN HERE MARCH 8TH

Robert C. Kirkwood, chairman of the Franchise Tax Board, today announced that a state income tax examiner will be available at the Hotel Truckee in Truckee on Mar. 8, to assist taxpayers in the filing of their state income tax returns.

Single persons with net incomes of $2000 or more and married couples with combined net income of $3500 or more must file state returns.

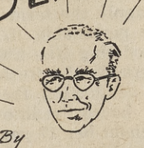
RED CROSS DRIVE IS STARTED IN AREA

The Red Cross drive for funds opened here Monday. Mrs. Fosten Wilson pointed out that $300 more was spent here last year than was collected.

There will be a house-to-house canvass, including homes and local businesses in the area and it is asked that everyone contacted give what they can.

Those named to head the committees this week included Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. E. V. O'Rourke, Mrs. Fred Pedley, John Ciardella and Robert Bick.

SUNBEAMS



By WALTER M. BARRETT

The legislature in Ohio recently passed a law, according to the California Patrolman, official CHP magazine, which makes a two-day jail sentence mandatory in all drunk driving convictions. And, in San Francisco a judge has ruled that drunk drivers are to be held one day in jail before they are brought before him, unless that ruling must be waived because of ill health or economic stress. We believe that these two examples are a step in the right direction in dealing with drunk drivers. Too frequently a fine, even a heavy one, fails to serve as a warning to others and apparently from the number of repeat violators, doesn't cause too much concern to the defendant himself. However, a few days in jail, in most cases, will, we feel, cause most of the drivers to hesitate before driving while they are intoxicated. Such a course in all courts might result in fewer tragedies on the highways and make motoring a pleasure instead of a gamble.

Girls' Basketball Team Concludes Successful Season With Victory

The Tahoe-Truckee Girls' Basketball team ended a successful season last Friday evening when they played the Fernley girls' team and won 21 to 20.

The score at the end of the first quarter found Fernley leading 8-4. From that time on, the margin of difference was never greater than three points and at the half the score was Fernley 10, Tahoe- Truckee, 7.

During the second half the local team pulled ahead by a slender margin of one point and from then on neither team was able to gain advantage by more than a single point.

The season score for the Tahoe-Truckee girls was four games won, two games lost and one tied.

TRUCKEE DOGS WIN HONORS AT RACES

Trophies brought back to Truckee and now on display at the Pastime Club, indicate that the local delegation to the West Yellowstone, Mont., dog derby did not fare so badly, despite the fact that Champion Lloyd Van Sickle came in for third place in the free for all event.

Van Sickle had a valid excuse for his less than first position. He completely lost his voice through a cold and driving dogs silently is a very difficult chore, particularly since the animals were trained to respond to voice orders exclusively.

In the husky race, Van Sickle's uncle, Ned Van Sickle, took the first place cup and in the weight pulling event, Toby, Al Haltom's 93-pound Eskimo dog, set a new world record by pulling a big 2103 pounds. The previous record was 1615 pounds.

These two firsts, plus Lloyd's two thirds, brought four trophies to Truckee kennels, no small achievement when it is considered the local dogs were competing with North America's best dog teams and drivers.

POT LUCK DINNER

Summit Temple No. 79, Pythian Sisters, are sponsoring a pot-luck dinner to be held March 11 which will be open to the public. Cards will be played following the feed.

FUND INCREASES

Roy Waters, local chairman for the March of Dimes campaign, this week reported the fund has increased to a total of over $700 with still a few oustanding donations to be accounted for.

WARNKE IMPROVED

Hap Warnke, seriously injured in a snow plow accident last week, is reported by his physicial, Dr. Sidney Kase to be greatly improved at the Tahoe Forest Hospital.

Harry Comstock, Pioneer Tahoe Resort Man, Dies

Funeral Held Today For Veteran Resort Man At Glendale

BROCKWAY — Funeral rites were scheduled for this afternoon at Altadena for one of Lake Tahoe's most prominent and pioneer residents, Harry O. Comstock, 78, who died Tuesday morning in a Los Angeles hospital. Burial will be at Forest Lawn in Glendale.

Comstock had headed the Brockway Hotel Company since 1914 and previously had operated the old Tallac Hotel at the south end of Lake Tahoe which his father, the late G. L. M. Comstock had operated before him.

For many years the deceased was president of the Lake Tahoe Sierra Association and devoted a great portion of his life to the welfare of the lake.

He was a native of Carson City, Nevada and a son of early day settlers of that state.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Elsbeth Comstock of Brockway, two daughters, Mrs. H. B. Eden of Sacramento and Mrs. M. Bennett of Tucson, Arizona and Brockway. There are five grandchildren.

TRUCKEE AC WILL TRAVEL TODAY FOR FALLON GAME

The Truckee A. C. basketball team will travel to Fallon tonight where they will tangle with the Western Mercantile team of Sparks at 7:30 P. M. If the Athletic Club can win this one they will play the winner of the Reno-Yerington game Friday night at 8:30 in the semi-finals and then go into the finals Saturday night.

Team members of the Truckee club making the trip will be Al Wakefield, Burt Domgaard, Ray Dixon, Joe Copeland, Phil Foster, Hal Snow, Les Davidson, Jack Lambres, Con Briner and Jim Brehler. John Rau will be team manager on the trip.

The Athletic Club has broken even during the regular season of play this year and has an excellent chance in the tournaments to be held in Nevada this month.

Defeat Martinez

Last Saturday the Athletic Club defeated Martinez 54 to 50 in a game that was close all the way. The score at the half was 25 to 21 and Truckee held a one-point lead going into the final quarter. Al Wakefield, Truckee forward, was high with 25 points, followed by Burt Domgaard with 13.

In the preliminary, the Ramblers took their initial win of the season by outscoring the Boy Scouts 39 to 35.

Last Thursday's game was forfeited by Rocklin, giving Truckee a 3-4 record in the Placer-Nevada League standings. This was to have been the final game of the P-N season.

Two Names Added To Class Initiation List

Inadvertently, the names of Miss Judy Loynd and Miss Jean Holmes were omitted from the list of those initiated on February 24th into the Tahoe-Truckee high school chapter of the California Scholastic Federation. The formal ceremonies were presided over by Miss Loma Sorensen, president of the local group.

Others initiated were Gary Anderson, Lewis Fellows, Adonna Goodpasture, Kemit Norris, Ruth Osburn, Duanne Pomin and Jay Stuart.

Operation Success

Word from Howard Newsham at San Francisco Tuesday was to the effect that Mrs. Newsham is showing rapid recovery after a major operation on her throat in a hospital there last week and the family hopes to return home next Sunday. Newsham is manager of the telephone company office here.

Birthday Party—

Mr. and Mrs. David Rose entertained at a supper party for their daughter, Dorette, who was ten years of age March 3.

Seeking Reelection

Miss Elma Hecker, who this week announced here cadidacy for re-election to the office of Nevada County Treasurer and Tax Collector. Her announcement is on another page of the Sierra Sun today.

Rex Reid Contractor For Rose Brothers Store 3 At Oroville

Rose Brothers Market No. 3 will be opened in May at Oroville, Dave Rose, partner in the firm and manager of the Truckee store, announced this week.

Already under construction, the new $30,000 building, 120 by 50 feet, is to be similar in pattern to the local store. There will be ample parking facilities.

Contract for the structure was let to Rex Reid, Donner Lake, the lowest of six bidders.

Rose has been spending considerable time at Oroville attending construction details. One of his brothers, James Rose, will be the Oroville store manager, assisted in the initial operation by Harvey Hocker, assistant manager here.

Rose Brothers have another store No. 2 at Quincy managed by Charles Rose, who established the No. 1 store in Truckee a number of years ago.

LOCAL 'KIDS' WILL HOLD SKI CONTEST

Local youngsters Sunday at noon will participate in an unscheduled but promising ski meet to be held at Crandall's Hilltop Lodge.

The affair is open to all the "kids" of the area and races and jumping will be feature attractions. Robert Siebold will have charge of the jumps and Red Jolley will look after the races.

It is hoped to have suitable awards for the winners of the various contests.

SPORTSMEN MEET TO DECIDE PLANT SOON

Charles Osburn, president of the Truckee Outdoor Sportsmen, has again called attention to the meeting of sportsmen to be held at the Capitol Hall Tuesday, March 9th, at which time a decision on the local trout planting program will be reached.

Several state fish and game officials will attend to discuss the proposals.

It has been unofficially revealed that the plant of catchable sized rainbow in local streams and lakes this year may double or even triple the rather generous plant made in local waters last year.

Mrs. Scow Is Feted At Truckee Party

Mrs. Oliver Scow was feted at a party given by Mrs. David Rose and Mrs. Frank Giovannoni in the home of the latter last Wednesday evening.

The affair was a surprise to the honoree who was presented with a shower of gifts by a group of her friends. Games and refreshments were enjoyed at a later hour.

RETURNS HOME

Mr. and Mrs. William Englehart returned Thursday from Sacramento where the latter underwent eye surgery. Her many friends are happy to learn that the operation was successful and of her progress toward health.

Last Rites Held Here For Surb Klein Wednesday

Popular Truckee Man Dies Following Heart Ailment

The Truckee district yesterday paid final tribute to one of its most popular and well-like citizens when funeral services for Surber L. Klein, 58, were held at the Truckee Colonial Mortuary. Rev. Max Christensen of Nevada City officiated and scores of friendsover flowed the chapel to pay their respects.

Klein, who with his wife, Cleo, had operated the Pastime Club here since 1948, expired Monday morning after being under treatment with a heart ailment for a little over a week. He had not been in good health for some time but his death came as a severe shock to his legion of friends all over this district.

A native of Weston, Oregon, Surb Klein was born March 16, 1895, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John L. Klein, pioneer eastern Oregon residents. He attended school in LaGrande and there he enlisted in the army, going to France with the famed Rainbow Division where he was in active service in World War I.

He came to California in 1924 and for many years was supervisor for the Safeway Stores in San Francisco before going into the grocery business for himself at San Rafael. Later he entered business at Sacramento and in 1941 came to Donner Summit where he and his brother, Ted, operated a resort for three years. Klein returnedt o Sacramento in 1944 and remained there until coming to Truckee in 1948.

The deceased was a life member of the Elks Lodge at LaGrande, Oregon, where the body was shipped for interment in the family plot.

Surviving beside his wife are a brother, Theodore of Sacramento and a sister, Mrs. William Driskell of LaGrande.

Klein was one of Truckee's most consistent boosters and was held in higest esteme by hundreds of friends. His loss will be deeply felt and most sincere sympathy is extended to his wife and family.

Mrs. Klein, who has maintained an active part in conducting their business here, is expected to continue managing the popular Pastime Club.

SKI MEET SUNDAY AT CISCO GROUNDS

SODA SPRINGS—On the Auburn Ski Club grounds near Cisco on Highway 40, the Auburn Ski Club will hold its 24th annual invitational tournament on Sunday, Mar. 7. Both cross country and jumping events will feature the tournament with the events starting at 10:30.

The cross country race will be a 10-mile run over terrain around Cisco. The jumping will include Class A, B, C and D. and the A division will feature such notables as Chester Zoberski of Auburn, Don Thompson, Martin Oroz and Bill Martin of Reno, Bill Bechdolt of Tahoe, Wayne Paulsen of Squaw Valley, Ted Rex of Mt. Lassen and Herb Copeland of Truckee. Dick Carnell of Tahoe will compete in Class B, while Don Robinson of Lake Tahoe is listed in the C division and Rex Donaldson of the Tahoe Club will be in the D class.

Wyethia Club Plans Program for March 6th

The Past Presidents program will feature the meeting of the Wyethia Club dinner to be held at Donner Lake Lodge March 6.

The cast in costume will include Mesdames N. F. Dolley, Henry G. Loehr, Robert Buddle, August Benjamin, I. Firpo, Charles Heller, Earl Stice, Robert Bick, Carroll Maynard. Nat Quilici, Glenn Lee, Cliff Ellis.

The club president, Mrs. Fred Pedley, will narrate during the performance of "Our American Heritage."

Band Will Play For PTA Meeting Here

The high school band, under the direction of Joseph Mustol, will be heard in several numbers at the Parents and Teachers meeting to be held Monday evening in the Truckee Elementary School.

Installation of officers will be held with Mrs. Gilbert Kumle taking the office of president for the coming year. Mrs. Robert Leamon is the retiring head of the local organization.

MEETING TONIGHT

President Daven Morey has announced that a meeting of Donner Chapter, C. S. E. A., will be held this evening at 7 o'clock at Cozzi's Cafe. The personnel of the Bureau of Plant Quarantine will provide the program.

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Stated Meeting 3rd Thursday each month, Masonic Hall, Truckee.
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JOHN STREET, Com.
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TRUCKEE 20-30 CLUB NO. 344
Meets Wednesday at Brown's Cafe at 7:30 P. M.
AL KOOLHOF, President
HARRY DIGESTI, Secretary

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Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month, at I.O.O.F. Hall, Truckee.
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Meets Wednesdays at 7 P. M. at Donner Lake Lodge.
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ORVAL VAUGHAN, Secretary

TRUCKEE AERIE NO. 1124 FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES
Meets 1st and 3rd Thursday at Odd Fellows Hall
RAY GUYMER, President
JOHN RAU, Secretary

SUMMIT LODGE NO. 54 KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS
Meet 2nd and 4th Friday at I. O. O. F. Hall, Truckee
H. F. CARDINAL, C. C.
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Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Kilner who expect to return to Tahoe City in about two months, have spent the winter traveling in Florida and took a plane cruise to the Caribbean and Virgin Islands before returning to Laguna Beach.

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Spaulding Families Ask Annexation to District

A petition submitted by several families of the Lake Spaulding district to County Superintendent of Schools Melville Johns of Nevada County that the seven children of the area now in the Nevada City Elementary School district be transferred to the jurisdiction of the Tahoe-Truckee District, has been returned without action to the petition because it was not submitted in proper form and moreover, could not be circulated legally before July 1.

The students have been attending a school in the Tahoe-Truckee District since September, but as they are within the Nevada City district, their tuition is being paid by the Nevada City District.

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Miss Hecker Will Ask Relection At June Primaries

Rare, indeed, is the willingness of a member of the fairer sex to dwell upon the extensiveness of years involving self-service. This rarity is completely exploded by Miss Elma Hecker, county treasurer and tax collector in announcing her candidacy for reelection to office at the primary election on Tuesday, June 8th.

"I am very proud of my service record of 29 years as an official of Nevada County," Miss Hecker said as she reminisced on the many changes and advancements since the day of June 10, 1925 when she took the oath of deputy in the old-fashioned square courthouse office of the then-treasurer and tax collector, William T. Garland.

To apply the term of "veteran" to the personable, friendly, ever-accomodating Miss Elma Hecker is incongruous. Her freshness and vigor in conducting the office is a court house tradition, apparent throughout her 17 years as deputy and her 12 years as treasurer and tax collector.

Appointment to this office was made on August 4, 1942, following the resignation of the late Frank Steel as treasurer and tax collector, and 21 days later on August 25, primary election, she was confidently elected to the office by Nevada County voters. Re-election to the office has been an event of four year sequences—1946 and 1950.

That the canditate for office is not only held high in the esteem by her native fellow countyans and townspeople but by county officials throughout the entire state of California as well, is emphasized in the recent announcement from the State Association of County Tax Collectors's held at Riverside during the past week that Miss Hecker had been elected first vice president of this important state organization. Through promotion advancement of officers, Miss Heck er will be elected president of the association at the 1955 conference to be held at Sacramento.

Another literal "feather" in her administrative cap, was the recent commendation from the office of C. F. Proctor, chief of the division of tax land, state controller's office that Miss Hecker's published priot-ing the 1953 delinquent tax list was the only perfect production according to state specifications—in a section of 11 California counties in regional meeting. Commendation is a matter of filed records of certified public accountants concerning the apple-pie order of the fund handling, accuracy and perfect balance shown by her office.

The work of the treasurer and tax collector is one of great imporance, many phases and practically endless hours. The responsibility af much money running into millions paid in and out of county funds, is in itself a mammooth detail. The matter of tax collections is equally as great, and in fact requiring major clerical attention and detail work. While establisment of the county tax rate is not a matter of the county tax collector (rates are established by the board of supervisors) the collection of taxes for the county and the City of Nevada and their recordings represent a great concern to this office.

Miss Hecker's commendable philosophy of a "clean desk at the end of the day" has resulted in hours extended well into the night as she fulfilled her policy. The in and out log maintained by the sheriff's office for entrance in the court house after regular hours reflects a story of long evenings, Saturdays and holidays. Needless to say this extra work is without financial renumeration but rather is rewarded through the satisfaction of getting the job done.

As a native Nevada Cityan Miss Hecker is heart and hand for the county and community in which she has found life enjoyable. Her consistent encouragement of newcomers to this area as bolster to local economy and her activities in church, charitable, fratenal and service organizations are worthy of emulation. At present she is serving as assistant superintendent of Trinity Episcopal Sunday school, teaches Sunday school and is prominent in church circles. In service club work she is highly active in Soroptimist Club and served as treasurer of that organization, a member of Neva Rebekah Lodge and Ponemah Council, Degree of Pocahontas, and very recently appointed treasurer of the County's Cancer Fund Drive.

Miss Hecker may well be regarded as an exemplary type of public official, justifiably proud of her spotless record of 29 years to Nevada County public life, finding reelection campaign platforms unnecessary through the previous fulfillment of promise of honesty, integrity, conscientious attentiveness and courtesy. Continuance of such cardinal virtues in office administration and operation are fore gone conclusion with her reelection on Tuesday June 8th.

Miss Hecker is ably assisted in her office by Deputies Anna Rogers and Virginia Hedges.

ISSUES POEM BOOK

Mrs. C. W. Vernon has sent out the Valentine edition of her now widely circulated "Reconnaisance", a nicely edited and attractively bound book of poetry. The four seasons of the year at Lake Tahoe are illustrated with drawings by the author to enhance the verse of well known California poets.

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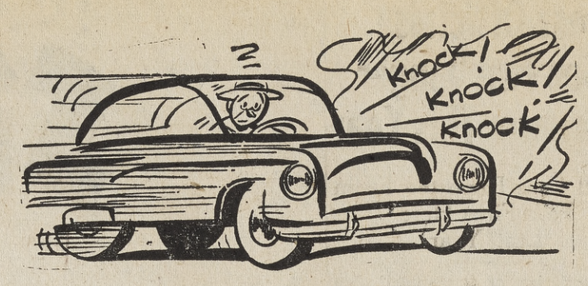

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In Truckee

STUDENT SKEAKERS WILL COMPETE AT TAHOE LIONS MEET

KINGS BEACH — Four students from the Tahoe Truckee Unified High School will provide the promising program at the meeting of the Lake Tahoe Lions Club at the Sierra Lodge on Tuesday, March 9, when they will compete in the annual student speakers contest.

The affair will be in the nature of a ladies night and guests are invited. However, reservations are to be made in advance by calling either Harry Charrison at his office at Tahoe City of Mrs. Margaret Madden at the high school.

Lee Madden and Jack Felte are on the program committee and Mel Throop will preside.

The speakers will compete at a meeting of the Truckee Lions on Wednesday, March 10th.

TAHOE NEWS

Mrs. Elaine White, president of the Tahoe Lake School Parents and Teachers and her assistants, June Grinstead, secretary and Beccy Shontz, treasurer, headed the pot luck dinner held February 25 in the school auditorium and combined the affair with the membership drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Frey had a recent visit from the William Bosens of Concord, former Tahoeites. Other former Tahoeans visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Woodington of Sacramento.

Mrs. Don Snyder of Lake Forest chairman of sales and assisted by Mrs. James Martin of Tahoe City, had charge of the Tahoe Women's Club food sale in Kehoe's Store. With many home cooked dishes displayed for sale, the counter was quickly emptied and the club's fund swelled.

A record entry list and a large number of spectators are anticipated when the Mapes Gold Cup Regatta is held at Lake Tahoe on September 4th and 5th this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dollar, Jr. of San Francisco and Lake Tahoe became the parents of a daughter last week.

Mrs. Bob Campbell of Tahoma writes that they are visiting in Los Angeles and would like to have the Sierra Sun sent their until they return to the lake.

Pepper from India

Most of the pepper imported to the United States comes from India and Indonesia.

NORTH TAHOE

by HARRY CHARRISON

Well, here is another weekend with the ski resorts in tip-top shape and the weather perfect. Joby Lewis of Cal Vada Lodge (we said Cal Neva last week) is doing himself proud and taking care of the rush of visitors in his new dining room. The weather is beautiful for the skiiers and the buses are running up and down the highway. I heard some raving about the hospitality of Tahoe.

If you would like to perform your civic duty a little later on, on election day, that is, make sure you are registered. If you are not do it now and be on the safe side. It is your privilege, so take advantage of it.

Heard that Cloyd and Mrs. Sipes are wintering at Tarzan, Calif. Cloyd is the tonsorial artist at Kings Beach and we long hairs surely miss him. I understand he is mixing a little business with a lot of pleasure down there. We golfers had better look to our laurels when he gets back.

Charlie Mang of Villa Vista Resort has just finished 10 new cottages in Tahoe Vista and they are sure beauties. This is the Mangs first winter to stay in and they have been enjoying every minute of it. Young Robert attends school at Kings Beach. Mrs. Mang can sure cook pheasants

Lions and Rotary members will meet at Cal Vada Lodge Monday next when officials of the Tahoe Forest Hospital will be on hand to discuss that institution. And on Tuesday, March 8th, Ladies Night, a very important meeting will be held at Sierra Lodge at 7 P. M. by the Tahoe Lions hold their annual student speakers contest. The public is invited to attend this by making reservations by calling Margaret Madden at Truckee 23 or locally Brockway 181J. Make an effort to attend and give these students your loyal support. For further information call either Jack Felte or Secretary Lee Madden.

A very splendid service was held at the Wee Kirk o the Pines last Sunday morning and 38 children were in attendance at the Sunday school. This was followed by the service at 11 o'clock with a good attendance. We were fortunate in having A. B. Covher of Reno filling the pulpit and he promised to come over for services next Sunday morning so we invite all of you to attend church at 11 A. M. It will be well worth your while to hear Mr. Covher. He is also an accomplished singer and has his beautiful wife to accompany him at the organ. Covher sometime ago had a pastorate near Chicago. It is sincerely hoped that his services to us will continue.

Mel Throop says we can report excellent progress on the show that the Lions of Tahoe are arranging for the 17th of March at the Brockway theater in Kings Beach. In his words, the show is going to be bigger and better than at first was thought possible. It would seem that support for the project of Skis for the Kids, is gaining in momentum and should be a great success financially and otherwise. So don't forget the date—March 17th—St. Patrick's Day in the evening.

Yet another family are going to make their home at Kings Beach. Mr. and Mrs. James S. Ingram of Livermore have purchased a home on Rainbow street, formerly belonging to Mrs. Best and as they stopped in at Curly Mason's Service Station they wanted to know how they could subscribe to the Sierra Sun. As they will not move up immediately, they want to know what goes on around their future home, so the Sierra Sun goes to them and tells them.

I see Harry Mason's Lakepoint Resort was opened up and filled over the past weekend. Even that was not enought to care for the crowds.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Mizner of the Stop and Shop in Kings Beach have left for Guide Rock, Nebraska. The trip was hastened on account of the illness of Mrs. Mizners mother who was reported very sick. We sincerely hope Ruth will find her improved upon her arrival.

Well, the big night is over and what a night it was for the women of the North Tahoe Women's Club, and guests. The hats were out of this world, bigger and better than ever. Mrs. Larry Ludlow had the prettiest hat. Alice Sorensen the most original and Ethel Antonson the funniest. June Mandeville presided at the meeting and the stunts were as cute as could be. Mrs. Joe Delory danced dressed as a man and she would have put some of the men to shame, too. She had a dummy woman for a partner and cut the cutest capers —so I am told. They wouldn't allow me in, huh. Then it was out with the old officers and in with the new. The following were installed: Sophie Levra, president; Minnie Wagner, vice president; Camy Althof, secretary and Ruth Lavery, treasurer. A swell chicken dinner was enjoyed with Mable Reese as cook and the Sierra Lodge was the place. Sophie says the members are planning big things for the coming year and she means it, too.

Just had a card from Carol and Gene Howard from way down El Centro way where it was 85 in the shade. I am told that our old friend Jack Judy is staying down that-a-way. The old timers will remember Jack with his hearty and good natured laugh. He is thriving in the heat and fishing every day, and there are some big ones too.

Harry Stubley, realtor at Kings Beach, spent a few days in Auburn attending the county realty board meeting and election of officers. We are glad to hear that Harry was elected vice president of the board. He is also vice president of the Placer County Chamber of Commerce.

Earl and Mrs. Nelson have returned to their home here after a jaunt around the state glad to be back, says Earl. What else could he say?

Howard Cope of Kings Beach had a narrow escape of losing two fingers in an accident at his home where he was doing some carpenter work. He caught his hand in a power saw. But the splendid work of his doctor saved the hand and Howard hopes he will be none the worse in a week or two. It will be 10 days before he will be sure everything is o.k.

The Bob Smiths of the Tahoe Food Center are back in town and have already taken the shutters down and maybe by the time you read this they will be open for business.

It has come to my attention that our friend Winnie Hall has been in the hospital for more than two weeks. She is now home and feeling still somewhat under the weather. It seems she fell outside the Biltmore, hitting her head and back on the ice, causing a concussion and spine injury. It is hoped she will continue to improve.

LETTER OMITTED

Mrs. Jeanette Mitchell, the Sierra Sun's Tahoe City correspondent, was unexpectedly called to the valley this week and so her usual column is omitted.

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FORMER TAHOE RESIDENT DIES AT MARIN HOME

TAHOE CITY — Word was received by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warner Monday telling of the passing of Mrs. Charles W. Pick, a former well known Tahoe resident, who died at her home in San Anselmo. Funeral services were to be held there today.

For many years the Picks were summer residents at Tahoe City where he conducted an electrical contracting business.

For the past 12 years they have resided in Marin County.

Their many friends here will deeply regret the sad news.

BALMY WEATHER AT TAHOE HOLDS FOR PAST WEEK

TAHOE CITY — Clear weather and mild temperatures have predominated the weather picture at Lake Tahoe during the past week.

Not a cloud has appeared to mar the perfect sunshine and the tempertaures have ranged from a low of 21 Sunday to a high of 49 last Friday.

With three gates open the lake level stood at 6227.56 feet. There were 26 inches of packed snow on the ground Monday.

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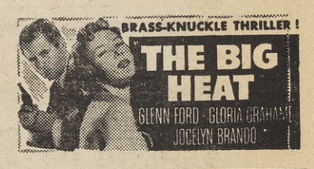

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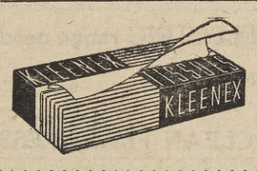

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We have been hearing a lot lately on the water problems of Nevada and Placer counties—the problem of the Nevada Irrigation District, water rates of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, etc. The Tahoe Forest is not a part of any of these problems on hand but we are the basic supplier of all the water to these "retail suppliers' as well as to other irrigation districts.

Thus, it should be of interest to our readers to tell you in brief of the part we play in the water business. First, our Organic Administration Act of 1897 states: "No National Forest shall be established, except to improve and protect the forest within the reservation, or for the purpose of securing favorable conditions for water flow."

From this is can be clearly seen that we have a first responsibility to manage national forest lands for their prime purpose of maintaining proper cover conditions. This ground cover prevents erosion of the soil and is conductive to the water percolating into the soil, which in turn, provides clear water graining into the rivers over the longest possible period of time after a rain or snowfall. Timber is harvested, grazing is permitted, fires are suppressed, roads are built, et. with this first important objective always uppermost in our minds and in our plans.

Is this important? Consider these essential statistics for the State of California: One-fifth of the state is in national forests, all of which is water producing lands and all sources of rivers are located in the national forests; 85 per cent of the power developments; and 75 per cent of the reservoir sites are within our boundries.

Is it important to maintain proper cover on the land to prevent erosion and to provide good clean water? Let us answer this by merely calling your attention to the recent "mud floods" occurring in southern California. These are the result of fires in December destroying the cover crop (brush), followed by not too heavy rains. The result is a mud flow causing millions of dollars of damage. So bad is it, that President Eisenhower had declared that a major disaster exists in the area.

Within the Tahoe Forest are large acreages of lands owned by private industry. The Southern Pacific Company is the largest private owner, as a result of early day railroad land grants. The Fibreboard Company, Stockton Box Co. and the Pacific Gas and Electric Company own several thousand acres of land. Fortunately, these industries are well aware of the importance of the land for the production of the lifeblood of the land, and carefully manage their lands so as to contribue the maximum to "clear, cool, mountain water."

As the state is growing by leaps and bounds, the basic natural resources of the national forests increase in value—particularly in the case of water.

The Forest Supervisor

This week we will start a series of personality sketches of our employes, beginning with the forest supervisor.

Guerdon Ellis is the forest supervisor of the Tahoe Forest. He is the top man and is held fully accountable for every phase of the stewardship of this large national forest. He was born in Oakland, California, just prior to the turn of the century. Ellis attended the Oakland grade and high schools and graduated from the University of California as a forestry worker major in 1923. In the summer vacation periods while attending the university, he worked for the Union Lumber Company at Fort Bragg as a whistle punk and othe jobs in the woods. Immediately upon graduation, he returned to that company and worked in various capacities until 1926. In that year he passed a forester's examination of the forest service and was assigned as assistant ranger on the Klamath National Forest. In 1927 he was promoted to a ranger and assigned to the Stanislaus Forest. He saw duty on the Santa Barbara and Angeles Forests and in 1935 was made supervisor of the Cleveland Forest at San Diego. He moved to the Trinity Forest in 1936 as supervisor and the thense to the Tahoe in 1940.

Ellis owns a home in Nevada City and has four children, Mrs. Peter Ingram of Grass Valley, and three sons, Donald, Raymond and Norman. Donald and Raymond are veterans of the Korean conflict and Norman is in the air forces at this time.

Ellis has devoted most of his life to the conservation of our natural resources. He is widely known for his excellent work in this regard and was awarded the distinction of being selected last year as a representative of the forest service at the international conference of the Society of American Foresters held in Montreal, Canada.

Tahoe-Truckee School District News

Tahoe Lake School

KINDERGARTEN AND FIRST GRADE: The kindergarteners are beginning to start their carpenter work. Tools used so far are rules, saws, hammers and nails. Some of the projects underway are trucks, snowplows, doll beds and fire engines.

Greg Moore, Pat Watkins and Donny Bury, first graders, are furnishing technical the advice for the kindergarten.

SECOND, THIRD AND FOURTH GRADES: Sandra Fellows is going to make a trip wit hher family and attend several ski meets. Her mother plans to have her visit the schools where they are going. Sandy will tell us about them when she comes back.

Chick Warner is so enthused about our truck unit that he made six trucks over the weekend. He is a good carpenter.

The third graders have started multiplication. They are very eager to learn this new process. The fourth graders are learning their 6's and 7's.

FOURTH, FIFTH AND SIXTH GRADES: Our social studies reports on the early westward movement are proving interesting.

In arithmetic, the fourth graders are studying fractions and are doing special problems involving larger Roman numeraus. The 5th graders are working with more difficult fractions and mixed numbers while the sixth graders are finishing and reviewing the multiplication of fractions and beginning the study of division of fractions.

We have begun a variety of activities in preparation for Canservation Week.

ALL SCHOOL NEWS: About 25 percent parents and ten children attended the PTA potluck supper on February 25th. At the party it was announced that the children had sold over 60 PTA memberships.

Truckee Elementary School

KINDERGARTEN: Members of the class have been making attractive covers for their various kinds of papers. These are separate covers for number and name papers, and for crayon drawings, easel paintings and chalk drawings.

We are learning about conservation and have discussed how fire destroys growing things; how water can be damaging as well as beneficial to soil and plants and how plants grow.

We are glad to have John Goldsmith back with us after a long absence due to illness. The class is sorry to lose Bonnie Wardman who is moving to Avenal with her family.

FIRST GRADE: The first grade was sorry to see Hal Wardman leave. We hope he will write to us from his new school.

SECOND GRADE: We are making science notebooks. We have pages about snow, ice, icicles, stars and shadows.

THIRD GRADE: We are happy to welcome Janice Stewart to our class and sorry to have Sandra Wardman leaving us. Best wishes, Sandra, we will miss you.

A short hike was thoroughly enjoyed Thursday. Many signs of spring were evident.

Two films on missions were shown Friday.

FOURTH GRADE: by Terry Ellis and Mike Kumle: As a finish to our arithmetic race, the losing team treated the room with a popcorn party. The race was close. There was a difference of only two points.

We are happy to have Donna McReynolds back with us. While she was in a Chico school, she was champion in the 4th grade girls' yo-yo contest.

Judy Stewart and Douglas Nesland have just come to our school and we are glad to have them.

FIFTH GRADE: By Donna Barnes and Linda Giovannoni: The 5th grade is learning how to do two-number division.

In social studies we are studying about the Middle Atlantic States. The top readers have a new book. It is called Days and Deeds. It has a workbook with it. Mrs. Roberson has been giving us glossary words.

SIXTH GRADE: The sixth grade saw movies on Mexico. We took notes on what the Mexicans eat; how they make their food, some of their dances and how they live.

We are studying narcotics, alcohol and tobacco for science. We formed committees after we volunteered questions that we thought we ought to know.

Kings Beach School

KINDERGARTEN AND FIRST GRADE: We saw a technicolor sound movie entitled Play Safe. There were some humorous parts in it and through humor it was shown how to play safe at school, how to use equipment and how to be considerate to other people.

Wednesday we saw a color filmstrip about A Surprise for Susan and Peter. It is the first of a series of health pictures which we will see.

Paula Martin is back with us after her winter's stay at Palm Springs.

SECOND AND THIRD GRADE: We are on our third folk dance. We are learning the Mistletoe Kiss this week.

Wednesday, February 24th, Brad Thompson celebrated his eighth birthday with his classmates here in our classroom. After school we played games. Mrs. Skeet Thompson decorated Brad's birthday cake with a target and a bow and arrow because archery is his latest hobby.

We banked $9.25 this week but did not win the thrift banner.

Larry Mandeville brought a very-near perfect arrowhead to our room Friday.

FOURTH, FIFTH AND SIXTH GRADES: Michelle Grout, our class secretary, has transferred to Mankato, Kansas. Dennis Thompkins was elected class secretary. He was our secretary last semester.

Our class kept the thrift pennant again this week by banking $10.26.

The intermediate and advanced skiers enjoyed their ski day at Squaw Valley.

Our class has been working on their social studies report about Hawaii.

Arithmetic and reading groups are progressing rapidly.

Donner Trail School

This week we talked a great deal about health. The school nurse was with us all day Tuesday and we want to thank her for her time and help. On Tuesday we saw a short film by Walt Disney on just how vaccination works on the human body.

On Wednesday, the doctor came and gave shots to some of the pupils and we saw exactly how it was done.

On Thursday and Friday we took a few minutes and talked about what we had learned during the week on health.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

For members of the governing board of the Tahoe-Truckee Unified School District

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of the Tahoe-Truckee Unified School District of Placer and Nevada Counties, California, that the Annual Election for Member of the Board of Trustees of said district will be held on the third Friday of May, viz, May 21, 1954.

It will be necessary to elect one member.

National Park Service

The National Park Service was established in the United States Department of Interior in 1916 to administer national parks and national monuments.

The polls will be open between the hours of 1:00 o'oclock P. M., and 7:00 o'clock P. M.

The returns will be canvassed at 8 P. M. o'clock on May 28, 1954.

The officers appointed to conduct the election in the above named district are:

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Ruth Lavery, Judge
Minnie Wagner, Judge

Precinct No. 2 —TAHOE LAKE ELEMENTARY SCHOOLHOUSE:
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Luella Griffith, Judge
Elaine Wright, Judge

Precinct No. 3— TRUCKEE ELEMENTARY SCHOOLHOUSE:
Lucille Bick, Inspector
Dorothy Rose, Judge
Anona Loynd, Judge

Precinct No. 4— OLD FLORISTON SCHOOLHOUSE:
Katherine Ayala, Inspector
Lillian Miller, Judge
Jane McClain, Judge

Precinct No. 5—DONNER TRAIL ELEMENTARY SCHOOLHOUSE:
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(Signed)
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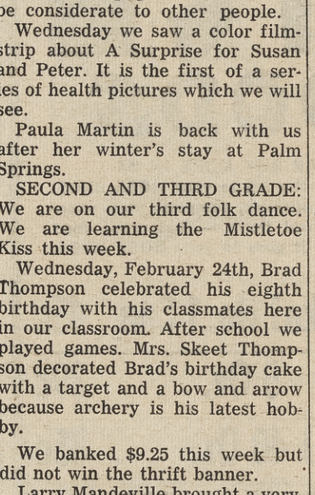

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AFFAIRS OF STATE
by Henry C. MacArthur

SACRAMENTO (CNS) — The story of how the state purchased a building in Los Angeles for $450,000 some five years ago, and never has used the property for any practical purpose, has come to light as the result of an inquiry into lease practices of the state department of finance.

The department practices are subject to the inquiry as the result of some digging by Assemblyman Glenn Coolidge of Santa Cruz County, who started asking questions concerning a proposed lease of a part of the Times-Mirror Building in Los Angeles.

The never-used structure is the Class A, steel and concrete Fashion League Building at Second and Hill streets in the southern city, which the state purchased in October, 1949.

While the purchase price was $450,000, the state apparently got a bargain when it bought the structure, for three appraisals judegd it to be worth $487,500, $477,500 and $480,500 respectively. Feeling that the cost was too high, the state condemned the building, and went to court, where the value was set at $450,000. This sum was paid to the "333 W. Second Street Corp." which owned the building. John M. Stahl was president of the corporation and Ben Vantress, attorney and vice president.

During the 1951 session of the state legislature, a bill was introduced requesting permission for sale of the structure.

However, this item was carried in an omnibus bill, and was deleted so the state never has had permission from the legislature to sell the property, despite the fact it has not been used.

Three sessions of the legislature have appropriated funds to remodel the structure, which now total $1,300,000, but so far, the money has not been used, and will revert to the general fund unless re-appropriated by the 1954 budget session of the legislature.

Offiicals of the state department of finance, asked why the state never had put the building to use, said that they believed for the most part is was "inertia".

Costs of remodeling, however, have grown to the extent that they do not know whether $1,300,000 would be sufficient to remodel the building at the present time.

The building is in the vicinity of the Times-Mirror structure, where the state has a five-year lease expiring next April 1. The lease cost was $368 per foot, or $20,250 per month. It was negotiations for renewal of the lease that cover four floors of the Times-Mirror building, which brought the legislative questions. The renewal was for $3.10 per foot.

OUR DEMOCRACY——by Mat

"VOTES FOR WOMEN"

SUSAN B. ANTHONY WAS ONE OF THE PIONEERS OF THE WOMAN SUFFRAGE MOVEMENT IN AMERICA. SHE DEVOTED OVER 50 YEARS OF HER LIFE TO AN ARDENT CRUSADE, LECTURING BOTH HERE AND ABROAD, APPEARING BEFORE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES AND PARTICIPATING IN VARIOUS POLITICAL CAMPAIGNS.
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VOTE HERE

LEAKE SEES ROUGH GOING FOR LIQUOR CHANGE PROPOSAL

WOODLAND— 'Stormy weather' is in sight for the Weinberger committee's appointive liquor administration proposal, it was predicted here last week by Paul R. Leake, Third District member of the State Board of Equalization, an outspoken advocate of the new appointive type of state liquor setup.

Leake spoke to a meeting of the combined local service clubs.

He confided in his home town friends that they can expect smooth sailing in the state assembly for the major recommendations of the joint interim legislative group head ed by Assemblyman Caspar Weinberger of San Francisco.

The "cemetery" for sensible and practical liquor control revision bills "will continue to be with the Parkman Governmental Efficiency commitee in the senate," Leake warned.

It was the Parkman commitee that "buried" a proposal last year favored by former Governor Earl Warren for creating a new liquor department, the administrator of which would have been appointed by the governor, subject to senate confirmation.

"You can expect grand-stand, emotional protests against the govenor having the power to appoint a liquor administrator," Leake said. "You will be told that liquor lobbyists would influence the governor . . . . . "Isn't it true that an improvident or bad governor might also appoint a dishonest or incompetent director of the state department of finance, or a corruptible director of the department of public works, or a party hack for an important judiciary position?"

"If we go along with that kind of childish argument and carry it to its conclusion," Leake added, "we might with jus tas much reason suggest that we deprive the people of their right to vote for a governor because they could choose one one who is unfit."

Long River

The Ganges River, which rises in the Himalaya Mountains, is approximately 1500 miles long.

Rental clients were forced to move from the Fashion League building when their leases expired. For a time, the state department of motor vehicles used some of the space on the lower floor, but for six months at least, the building has been padlocked and vacant.

The state turned down an offer to sell the structure for $750,000, it was reported here, and offers of Los Angeles county to lease the entire building at a figure which would have amortized the original investment and returned a 100 per cent profit over a 10 year period, were also turned down.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids will be received by the Governing Board of the Tahoe-Truckee Unified School District of Placer and Nevada counties, at the office of the Superintendent of Schools, on or before, but not later than, Tuesday, the Ninth Day of March, 1954, at 8:00 P. M., for supplying, and possibly installing, outdoor bleachers in accordance with plans and specifications on file in the office of the Superintendent of Schools. Truckee, California.

The Governing Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids, in part or in total, to waive any irregularities, and to be the sole judge of suitability and fitness of products offered.

Bidders are required to submit complete specifications and illustrations for any and all items for which bids are offered and furnish a certified chieck in the amount of 10 per cent of the bid to guarantee faithful performance of contract.

By order of the Governing Board Tahoe-Truckee Unified School District.

Fred M. Pedley, Clerk.
February 16, 1954.

Traffic Deaths Increase in Area

SACRAMENTO, (CNS), Traffic accidents on rural highways in the Roseville-Truckee area of the California Highway Patrol took three lives during January. Last year there were no deaths from this cause during the month.

In the same area, 53 motorists suffered injuries, compared with 31 during the month a year ago, the patrol reported.

There were 33 reportable accidents, compared with 18 in the opening month last year.

Throughout the state, the patrol said, rural traffic claimed 172 lives in January compared with 161 a year ago, an increase of seven per cent. The injury list shrunk slightly from 3455 last year to 3400 this year. Reportable accidents were up from 2029 in January, 1952 and 2182 in January of 1953 to 2218 this year.

Registration of Vehicles In State Shows Increase

SACRAMENTO, (CNS) —Registration figures for 1953 motor vehicles announced this week show a total of 6,003,952 vehicles in California, 10,030 of which were in Nevada County.

In Nevada County the registration was as follows: Automobiles, 7,468; trucks, 1,836; trailers, 686 and motorcycles, 40.

"No easing of traffic problems in California is in porspect," said Paul Mason, director of the state's department of motor vehicles. He indicated that the gain in 1953 over 1952 was greater than the gain for the previous year which was 4.6 per cent over 1951 registration.

TRUCKEE PUBLIC BOARD MEETINGS

Truckee Public Utility District
Meets 2nd and last Tuesday each month at 2:30 p.m. in the district office.

Truckee Sanitary District
Meets 1st Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at Justice Court Offices.

Tahoe-Truckee Unified School District
Meets 2nd Tuesday each month at 8 p.m. at the high school.

Tahoe Forest Hospital District
Meets 2nd Friday each month at 7:30 p.m. at the hospital.

Truckee Fire District
Meets 1st Tuesday each month at 10 a.m. in R. N. Little's office.

Truckee Cemetery District
Meets at call of Chairman W. M. Englehart.

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TRUCKEE WINS, LOSES IN FERNLEY GAMES

The Tahoe-Truckee Varsity and Junior Varsity basketball teams traveled to Fernley Friday where the varsity lost by a 64 to 29 score and the JV won 34 to 24.

In the varsity game the Wolverines played a tight zone defense throughout the game but were unable to cope with the Fernley's long shots. The local boys managed to hold Fernley to a 33-20 score at the end of the half, but in the second half the determined Fernley boys went ahead to the final score.

Aaron Thomas was high point man for the Wolverines with 10.

The junior varsity game found the Tahoe-Truckee Cubs taking an early lead and never releasing it during the game. At the half the score was 20 to 15. Mike Soltau, with 12 points was high man for the Cubs.

William Conner Will Head Tahoe Rotary

TAHOE CITY — William Conner was elected president of the Tahoe City Rotary Club at the meeting held Tuesday evening at Tahoe Inn.

Robert Wray was chosen as vice president for the coming year and James Martin will be secretary and C. W. Vernon was retained as the treasurer. Other new directors are Martin Spitzen and Don Snyder.

The new officers will take over their duties in July. The election was held three weeks eariler than customary to permit the members to visit other clubs during March.

The Tahoe Club will meet with the Brockway Rotary March 8th at Cal Vada when members of the Tahoe Forest Hospital Board will be present to discuss the hospital. It was decided to hold a ladies night program on March 23 at the Tahoe Inn. Howard Guth presided at the session.

Oriental Tea Party Is Enjoyed By Local Girls

The Donner Girl Scout Troop wound up its celebration of February as International Friendship month with an oriental tea party enjoyed by members and guests including parents and boys and girls of the fifth and sixth grades Friday afternoon at the Veterans Memorial Hall.

Several girls made short talks on the customs of Japan, China and Korea, and objects made in these countries were displayed after which Dr. Oliver Scow showed his color slides of Korea. Tea and fortune cakes were served by Judy Giovannoni, hospitality chairman, and her helpers dressed in authentic Japanese and Korean costumes.

The troop wishes to thank the local residents for their contributions of used clothing in the recent drive. Three-hundred pounds of warm clothes have been sent to San Francisco for processing and shipment to Korea.

Lenten Schedule For Church Is Announced

Father P. J. O'Niell of the Truckee Assumption Catholic Church has announed the Lenten Devotion schedule as follows:

Truckee: Daily mass at 8:30 a.m. and also at 8 a.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

Evening devotions in Truckee on Wednesdays and Fridays at 8 p.m. Wednesday evenings, rosary sermon and benediction with Most Blessed Sacrament. Friday evenings, Way of the Cross, followed by benediction with Most Blessed Sacrament.

Tahoe City: Daily mass on Wednesday and Friday mornings at 9 a. m. Evening devotions at 7:30 on Wednesdays.

Kings Beach: (Our Lady of the Lake Church) Friday evening devotions at 7:30 p. m.

The Lenten season started with Ash Wednesday yesterday and will continue until Easter Sunday on April 18th.

CAR THIEF SUSPECT TRACED BY PATROL

The prompt and alert action by officers of the Truckee squad of the California Highway Patrol has resulted in the arrest in Reno of James D. Craig, 34, Sacramento, held on a Dyer Act charge after he was accused of stealing a car from a Sacramento used car lot and driving it across a state line.

Alerted by an all-points bulletin, Sergeant Ed Freeman and Patrolman Carroll Maynard, traced the car to Cisco where a credit card, alleged to have been stolen, was used for the purchase of two new tires and a tube. The officers then found that one of the tires had been offered for sale for $5 at a local service station and that the suspect, with two hitchhikers had proceeded east.

A teletype was sent to Reno and patrolmen there were waiting for Craig when he arrived.

One of the hitchikers, Clifford Johnson was being detained in the Truckee jail as AWOL from his army base at Fort Ord.

Out of Marines—

John (Red) Waller was a local visitor following his discharge from from the Marine Corp with which he saw service in Korea. He is living with his parents at Marysville at present.

Frey on Leave—

William Frey is on a two-weeks leave and expects to go to Kentucky where he will continue his training with the army.

Birthdate Observed—

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Burns and son were Nevada City visitors last weekend when Mrs. Burns birthdate was observed with her family.

To Observe Birth—

Roy Elf will observe his birthdate on March 8th.

Assessors To Visit

County Assessor W. L. Tamblyn this week announced that he and his deputies will be in Truckee between May 17 and 21 for the purpose of levying assessments and to take veterans' exemptions. They will have offices at the fire station on those dates and anyone wishing to discuss their assessment may contact them there.

Mrs. Box Writes—

Mrs. Richard Box, formerly Mrs. Hazel Roberts of Truckeee, now living at Burney, writes that they have been visiting relatives. She adds that she receives the Sierra Sun weekly, keeping in close touch with local friends.

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS IN TRUCKEE DISTRICT

County Assessors will be located at the Truckee Fire Station between May 17th and May 21st to handle any local assessment problems and to take Veterans' exemption applications.

Anyone having questions relative to their property assessment may contact the Assessor or his deputies at that time.

Your cooperation will be appreciated.

W. L. TAMBLYN,
Assessor of Nevada County

CUB SCOUT NEWS

The four Cub Scout Dens meet each Tuesday afternoon and the following reported their meetings this week:

Den No. 3 took a trip to the Southern Paific round house with Den Mother Mrs. D. McGihon where they enjoyed the tour conducted by Earl Stice, agent and Kenneth Faulkner.

Den No. 1 with Mrs. Wilber Glenn in charge completed plans of a pack meeting and finished the session collecting old newspapers.

MONDAY CLUB MEETS

Cards were played when Mrs. Robert Leamon was hostess to a club group Monday evening at her Gateway Park home. Refreshments were served following the games.

From Reno—

Mrs. Mary Marquis of Reno, a former Truckee resident, visited with friends here Tuesday.

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot adequately express heartfelt appreciation which we feel for the many kindnesses and words of sympathy extended to us during the illness and passing of our husband and brother. We are especially grateful to the merchants of Truckee who closed their stores during the funeral, and for the beautiful floral tribute. We are indeed grateful to you all.

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Tarzan

by EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS

TARZAN CREPT DOWN A CORRIDOR IN THE TEMPLE OF THOTH, SEARCHING FOR THE RUNAWAY HIGH PRIEST--

PRESENTLY THE APE-MAN DISTINGUISHED HIS ENEMY IN THE GLOOM AHEAD, COLLAPSED AND APPARENTLY HELPLESS--

SUDDENLY, KAMUT REARED UP AND PRESSED A LEVER TO A TRAP DOOR!

THE FLOOR GAVE WAY, YET TARZAN MANAGED TO GRAB THE LEDGE-- AND SAVE HIMSELF FROM HUNGRY CROCODILE JAWS!

HOWEVER, KAMUT WASTED NO TIME. CACKLING MADLY, HE RAISED HIS SWORD TO CUT TARZAN'S HANDS--

BUT BEFORE HE COULD STRIKE HE WAS FELLED BY JAGGED ROCK, HURLED FROM THE HANDS OF ZORAD AND SOME CONFEDERATES!

JOHN CELARDO

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HOW LONG YOU PLANNIN' T' KEEP UP THIS CRUMMY DEAL, WUTHERING McHEIGHTS ...I MEAN, MASTER?

AS LONG AS YOU GOT A BREATH LEFT T' DRAW, GROGGINS! WE'RE HEADIN' FOR MY HOME IN THE ISLANDS NOW... WHERE I PLAN T' SPEND A LONG AND COMFORTABLE LIFE...

...NOT LIFTIN' MY HAND TO DO ANY UNNECESSARY LABOR BECAUSE I GOT A STRONG AN' WILLIN' SLAVE T' DO ALL THE DIRTY AN' MENIAL JOBS FOR ME. RIGHT, SLOB?

KEERECT (SOB), MASTER!

MUST BE SOME KIND OF NATIVE CELEBRATION. WELL, SLAVE-ARCH YOUR BACK, I WANT T' APPROACH MY JOINT IN STYLE!!

WHAT'S ALL THE SHOUTING FOR?

GREAT NEWS, WUTHERING McHEIGHTS-OUR ISLAND RULER HAS JUST SIGNED THE **EMANCIPATION PROCLAMATION!**

DOES THAT (GASP) MEAN, SISTER, THAT SLAVERY IS HEREBY **OUTLAWED** ON THIS BLARSTED SAND DUNE!!

THAT IT DOES, OH, BURDENED STRANGER!

AND **THAT** MEANS THAT EVERYBODY WHO WAS SLAVIN' AS A PERFESSION IS NOW A **FREE-BREATHIN', FREE-DECIDIN' CITIZEN?**

EXACTLY, OH, UNHAPPY ONE!

HEAR THAT, WUTHERING McHEIGHTS? KEEPIN' GROGGINS AS A SLAVE IS NOT ONLY UNPOPULAR WITH **ME**, IT'S **ILLEGAL** WITH THE **GOVERNMENT**. WHAT WAS THAT GURGLIN', PAL?

GURGLE! GURGLE!

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THAT'S (CHUCKLE) WHAT I **THOUGHT** YOU SAID, GOT ANYTHING PLANNED FOR THIS EVENING, BABY?

NOTHING, OH, **HAPPY ONE!**

GURGLE!!

THERE'S OLD JOE WRESTER IN

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By ERNIE BUSHMILLER®

I THINK I'LL STRAIGHTEN OUT MY CELLAR
MAR-7-
WELL, WELL--- HERE'S THE OLD SLED I HAD WHEN I WAS A LITTLE GIRL
SLEDDING IS LOTS OF FUN
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I THINK I'LL GO UP ON THE HILL AND TRY THIS OUT
OH, I FORGOT--- WE HAVEN'T HAD SNOW IN A MONTH---
IT'S JUST LIKE SPRING OUTSIDE
PHOOEY---I'D SURELY LIKE TO TRY THAT SLED TODAY
I HAVE AN IDEA
WOW---THIS ROLL OF WAXED PAPER FROM MY KITCHEN WORKS SWELL!
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AN' HERE'S SOME MORE
YEAH, WE'RE FILTY WIT' DE STUFF
BY R. DIRKS
VOT?-TAX MONEY?
FUM A OLD FRIEND CAPTAIN
NOW YOU DON'T HAFF TO GO TO CHAIL
TAX
BUT, DOLLINKS, WHO GIFFED YOU ALL DOT MONEY?
SHH-
HA! VAIT VEN OLD SHYLOCK SEES DISS
MUM ISS DER VORD
3-7
DERE'S YOUR OLD TAXES! VOT'S DER MATTER, AINT DOT ENOUGH?
PLENTY! IT'S THE ROYAL CLINK FOR YOU, PAL! GET GOING
CHIGGERS, A BOIGLAR
BUT, MISTER—
BILLY THE KID JR. DATS ME! AN' I DON'T FOOL AROUND! FORK OVER
OOPS
CAN'T YOU SEE IT'S ALL PHONY?
HM-M-M PHONY, EH?
WELL, SO'S DIS GUN, CHUM, SO'S DIS GUN, HEH HEH
VAIT, CAPTAIN
HOLD IT, BOZO
YOU GOT TO FORGIFF 'EM, CAPTAIN. IT VOS FUNNYBONE DER CLOWN VOT GAFE IT TO 'EM
BAH, NOW YOU TELL ME
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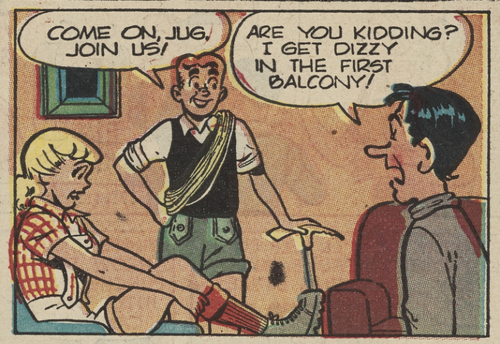

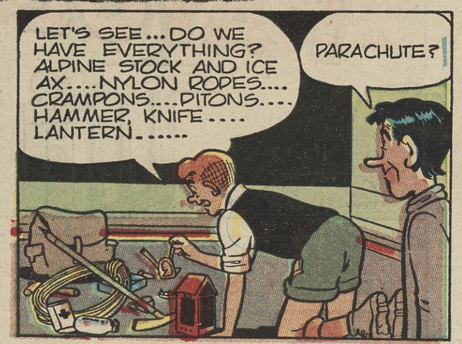

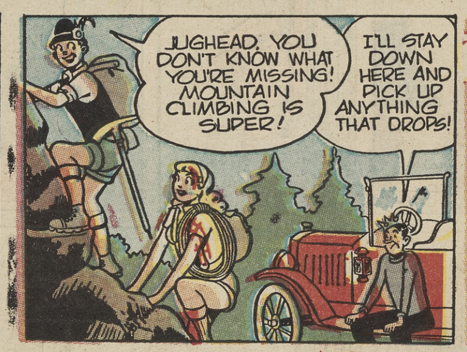

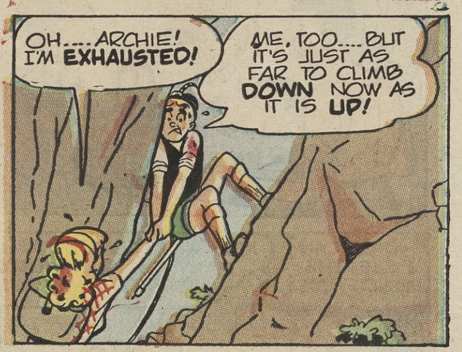

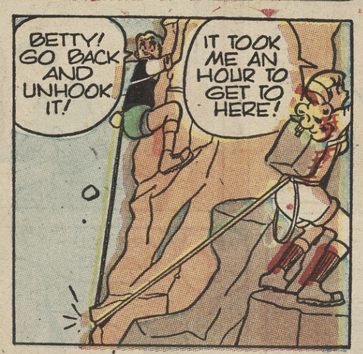

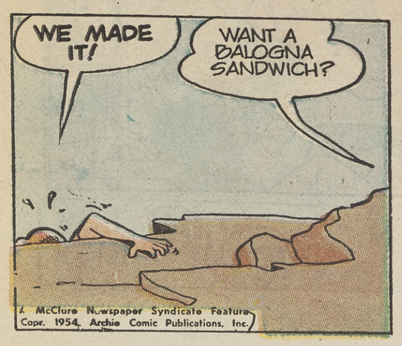

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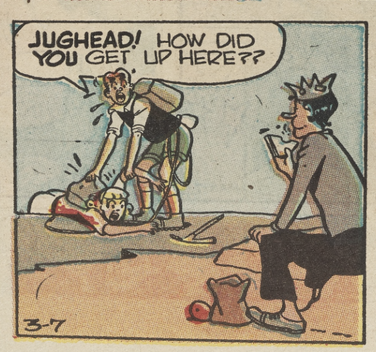

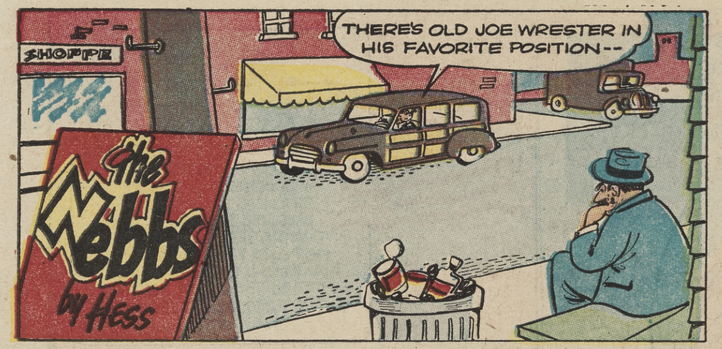

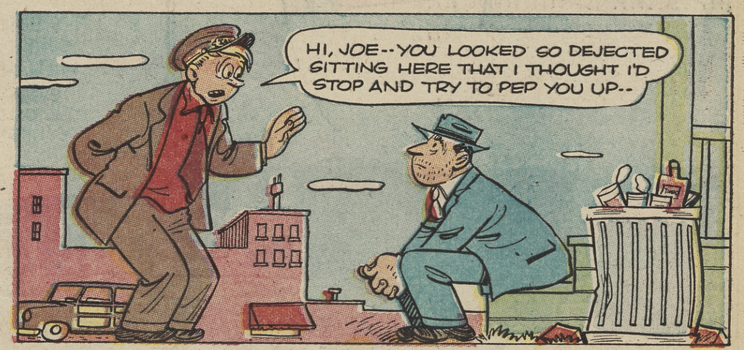

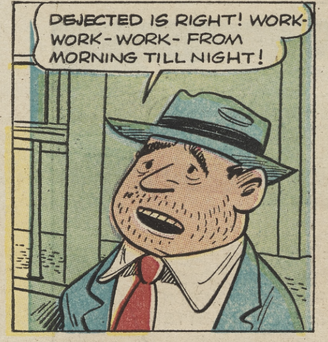

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RESTAURANTS IN MAMARONECK, N.Y., PROVIDE THEIR GUESTS WITH PRAYER CARDS AS WELL AS MENUS ...

DESPITE EFFORTS TO PRESERVE WHOOPING CRANES, WHILE EN ROUTE TO THE NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE IN TEXAS, DURING THE YEARS BETWEEN 1939 AND 1953 ONLY 3 ADDITIONAL BIRDS HAVE BEEN ADDED TO THE FLOCK, ACCORDING TO THE NATIONAL AUDUBON SOCIETY ...

THE BATTLESHIP U.S.S. ARIZONA, SUNK DURING THE PEARL HARBOR ATTACK, STILL FLIES THE STARS AND STRIPES!

EVERY MORNING AT 8:00 A.M. THE COLORS ARE RAISED OVER THE SUNKEN HULL -- AT SUNSET THEY ARE LOWERED!

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IN CLEAR WATER A SUBMERGED SUBMARINE CAN BE SPOTTED FROM THE AIR AT DEPTHS TO *100 FEET!*

HOMING PIGEONS DO NOT RETURN TO THEIR LOFTS BY **INSTINCT** -- THEY MUST BE **TRAINED!** TESTS AT FT. MONMOUTH, N.J., DISCLOSED THAT, OF THE WELL-TRAINED PIGEONS, 100% RETURN WITHOUT TROUBLE, WHEREAS OF THE UNTRAINED BIRDS, ONLY 20% FIND THEIR WAY BACK!

TODAY A GALLON OF OIL, WEIGHING SEVEN POUNDS, CAN BE MOVED FROM WELL TO CONSUMER FOR LESS THAN IT COSTS TO MAIL A ONE-OUNCE LETTER!

EPITAPH IN EAST ORANGE, N.J.

R.I.P.
IN MEMORY
OF SARAH RYAN -
DIED NOVEMBER 26, 1904
AGED 73 YRS.
HERE LIES THE REMAINS
OF SARAH HARNEY,
WIFE OF JAMES HARNEY
BORN IN FARNEY
GOT SICK IN KARNEY
AND DIED IN NURNEY
AND BURIED IN ORNEY ...
MAY HER SOUL REST
IN PERNEY...

CURLY KAYOE

by SAM LEFF

...HAPPY BIRTHDAY, DEAR UNCLE JOE-O...

GOSH! THANKS, FOLKS!

OPEN IT, JOE, DEAR!

WE HOPE YOU LIKE THE 3-D MOVIE CAMERA AND PROJECTOR, JOE!

IT'S A TERRIFIC BIRTHDAY PRESENT! I'LL SHOOT SOME 3-D MOVIES OF CURLY KAYOE FIRST THING!

IT'LL HELP CURLY IMPROVE ON HIS BOXING STYLE!

THAT'S IT, CURLY. THROW THOSE PUNCHES RIGHT INTO THE CAMERA!

HOW'S THIS, JOE?

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WHEN CAN I SEE THE RESULTS, JOE?

NEXT WEEK, CHAMP! YOU'LL SPOT MANY THINGS THAT DON'T SHOW UP ON FLAT MOVIES!

ONE WEEK LATER

THESE SPECIAL GLASSES GIVE THE ACTION A VERY REAL EFFECT, CURLY— YOU CAN LEARN A LOT FROM THIS! *LET 'ER ROLL, TOMMY!*

YEE-IPE! EVERYONE DUCK—*QUICK!*

BONK

MAR 7

ARE YOU O.K., JOE?

ANYWAY, I LEARNED WHAT IT'S LIKE TO BE KNOCKED OUT BY YOU, CHAMP!

SAM LEFF